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there by the corner the street became water washing over puddles of the melted stones

i took the paper and waited 'till later and suddenly a while left me room to roam

> the sun will set the sun will rise and so it will for the rest of my life you can bet that there's no device

i am closer than that i am the cat and i will eat your mouse

i am closer than this i never miss a chance to break you down

there by the corner the street became older the lighting of the lamps was by an old man's hand

he dined on witchcraft on vodoo and carcass shouting at the heavens while he cursed the land

> the tides will ebb and the tides will flow and what it means i just don't know oh well i guess that's how it goes

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